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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed August 24, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on November 24, 2004.

A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to December 24, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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